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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION FOR PATENT  
DESIGNATING THE U.S. ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)**

Docket Number  
(Optional)  
11321-P075WOUS

First Named Inventor: Weisman et al.

International (PCT) Application No.: PCT/US2004/028603

U.S. Application No.: TO BE ASSIGNED  
(if known)

Filed: September 2, 2004

Title: FLUORESCENT SECURITY INK USING CARBON NANOTUBES

Attention: PCT Legal Staff  
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The above-identified application became abandoned as to the United States because the fees and documents required by 35 U.S.C. 371(c) were not filed prior to the expiration of the time set in 37 CFR 1.495(b) or (c) as applicable. The date of abandonment is the day after the date on which the 35 U.S.C. 371(c) requirements were due. See 37 CFR 1.495(h).

**APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION**

NOTE: A grantable petition requires the following items:

- (1) Petition fee
- (2) Proper reply
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee which is required for all international applications having an international filing date before June 8, 1995; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

**1. Petition fee**

☒ Small entity - fee \$ 250.00 (37 CFR 1.17(m)). Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.

☐ Other than small entity - fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (37 CFR 1.17(m))

**2. Proper reply**

A. The proper reply (the missing 35 U.S.C. 371(c) requirement(s)) in the form of  
Trans. Letter to US/DO/EO re 371 Submission & fee (identify type of reply):

☐ has been filed previously on \_\_\_\_\_.

☒ is enclosed herewith.

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This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.137(b). The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 1.0 hour to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Mail Stop PCT, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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3. Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee

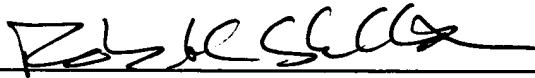
☒ Since this international application has an international filing date on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.

☐ A terminal disclaimer (and disclaimer fee (37 CFR 1.20(d)) of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for a small entity or \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for other than a small entity) disclaiming the required period of time is enclosed herewith (see PTO/SB/63).

4. Statement. The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional.

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☒ Fee Payment

☐ Terminal Disclaimer

☒ Other (please identify):

Preliminary Amendment; Application Data Sheet;  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Weisman et al.  
Serial No: TO BE ASSIGNED  
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Dear Sir:

**STATEMENT IN SUPPORT OF PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN INTERNATIONAL  
APPLICATION FOR PATENT DESIGNATING THE U.S. ABANDONED  
UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 C.F.R.1.137(b)**

The national phase of the referenced application began on March 5, 2006. The entire delay in filing this application from the due date to the filing of a grantable petition under 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b) was unintentional. Applicants respectfully request revival of this national phase application. Any questions regarding this delay should be directed to the attorney below.

Respectfully submitted,

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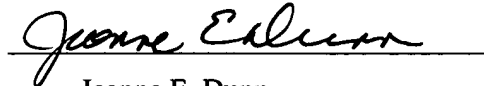
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